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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION,

In response to the Office action mailed October 13, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.